

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Kreutzer *et al.* Art Unit : 1635  
Serial No. : 10/612,179 Examiner : Tracy Ann Vivlemore  
Filed : July 2, 2003 Conf. No. : 5239  
Title : METHOD AND MEDICAMENT FOR INHIBITING THE EXPRESSION OF A  
GIVEN GENE

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF APRIL 9, 2007

This is in response to the Office Action of April 9, 2007, for the above referenced application. The period of time for responding has been extended one month by way of the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and payment of the requisite fees. Please amend the application as follows: